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(57) Abstract: A method for the treatment and/or prophylaxis of an osteonecrotic bone disease in a mammal in need thereof,
such as, e.g., idiopathic or secondary osteonecrosis, avascular bone necrosis, glucocorticoid induced bone ischemia/osteonecrosis,
Legg-Calve-Perthes disease and femoral head necrosis, the method comprising administering an effective dose of a strontium-con-
taining compound (a) to the mammal. A method for the treatment and/or prophylaxis of an osteonecrotic bone disease, such as, e.g.,
idiopathic or secondary osteonecrosis, avascular bone necrosis, glucocorticoid induced bone ischemia/osteonecrosis and femoral
head necrosis, in a mammal who is to be or is treated with a therapeutic agent (b) known to or suspected of inducing apoptosis and/or
necrosis of bone cells, the method comprising administering a strontium-containing compound (a) in combination with (b).



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